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**AMENDMENT B**

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Sir:

The following is in response to the Office Action dated June 23, 2004, and is filed within the shortened statutory period of three months. Please amend the application as follows.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 12 of this paper and include both attached replacement sheets and annotated sheets showing changes.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 14 of this paper.

**An Appendix** including a Substitute Specification and Redline Version of the Substitute Specification Showing Changes, and amended drawing figures, is attached following page 18 of this paper.